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LB 343, 343A

SENATOR KILGARIN: Your time is up, Senator Haberman. Senator DeCamp, did you wish to close on your motion to advance the bill?

SENATOR DeCAMP: Well, I should just move and quit but I am going to save thirty seconds to my friend Senator Haberman. Senator Haberman, you are Chairman of the Ag Committee. I assume you have more than a passing interest in some of the effects upon agriculture. We are talking about \$4 billion in loans to agriculture that are affected by this and, indeed, though you may have a paramount concern for the Perkins County Clerk, I would hope that as Agriculture Chairman you would develop at least as much interest in the \$4 billion that is affecting agriculture and rides one way or the other on how this bill goes, whether we maintain the existing system or whatever. But in specific answer to your question, it says in the bill as we have amended it, estimates of the costs of such recommendations shall be made including the cost of computer terminals and line costs and other associated costs for each county. The Council shall recommend a schedule of fees adequate to meet all such costs. So if anything, your county clerk is going to not only collect everything that they expend but they will correct a problem where they are not necessarily collecting everything they expend at this time. I repeat, it is users fees. I move advancement.

SENATOR KILGARIN: Thank you, Senator DeCamp. Before we go to the vote, I have the pleasure of introducing a guest of Senator Richard Peterson who is under the South balcony and his name is Mr. Eldon Peters from Norfolk, Nebraska. Welcome to the Legislature, Mr. Peters. We are voting on the advancement of LB 343 to E & R Initial. Those in favor vote aye, those opposed vote nay. Senator Kilgarin voting no.

CLERK: Senator Kilgarin voting no.

SENATOR KILGARIN: Record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 4 nays, Mr. President.

SENATOR KILGARIN: LB 343 is advanced to E & R Initial and we are on LB 343A. Senator DeCamp.

SENATOR DeCAMP: Mr. President, I would move advancement. This is the A bill. The correct A bill will come from Senator Warner's fiscal people and be amended on Select File and it will be significantly downward, and as I say, this is completely paid for or reimbursed through user fees. So as